

## STATEHOOD ALTERS FUTURE OF FRANTZ

Passage of Bill Puts New Governor Out.

CHANCE TO SUCCEED BISHOP

Senate Would Probably Be Compensating Him by Refusing to Confirm Canal Commission Nominee.

If the Senate acts toward the Statehood bill as the President wishes, and contrary to Mr. Roosevelt's wishes for the Bishop nomination, Gov. Frank Frantz of Oklahoma will be beyond much doubt be named for the vacancy in the Isthmian Canal Commission. Captain Frantz's future depends upon a combination of these two important measures.

Although Governor Frantz was nominated for his present position only in the first week of the present session of Congress, and took the oath of office less than a month ago, the Senate's agreeing to the bill just passed by the House providing for the admission of Oklahoma as a State would legislate him out of a job. No matter how short a while he had been in office, as soon as the citizens of the Territory adopted a constitution and organized a State government, Oklahoma Territory and the governor thereof would go out of existence. The passage of the Statehood bill by both chambers would leave Captain Frantz obliged to look around for an occupation.

### Help at White House.

It is confidently predicted by several who probably know what they are talking about that he need only turn his eyes toward the White House. If the Senate persists, as it is practically certain to do, in refusing the earnest wishes of the President and rejecting or ignoring the nomination of Mr. Bishop for the canal commission, Mr. Roosevelt will have to find somebody else to fill the place, and will, it is expected by the friends of the President's Oklahoma friend, pick up the man and Administration's Statehood bill had just thrown out of a job.

If the President should, certainly he would find in his new commission material a physical vigor for which the climate of the Isthmian would have few terrors. Captain Frantz is one of the tall, rangy Westerners from Kansas, of too tough physical fiber ever to suffer from much short of bullets.

He is of a family of giants, one of six brothers of whom each is more than six feet high, alert, quick and possessed of an untiring nervous energy. He is of the kind of men who have so intense an enthusiasm in whatever they undertake, they fairly itch to jump in and take a hand in the actual manual labor. He showed that in the days when he was a prominent athlete in Kansas and again in his work as a soldier in the Osage Indian reservation in Oklahoma. Captain Frantz went to his present home from Kansas when the first boom in the Territory started, in the early '90s. He was very young then, but he took his five brothers with him. When the war with Spain broke out, and the regiment of Rough Riders was formed, he joined the body and in the careers of the regiment met the man who is to help make his future so distinguished, Colonel Roosevelt.

After the war he returned to Oklahoma, eventually became agent of the Osage Indians and is now governor of Oklahoma Territory. Never once did he lose association with his old colonel. There was a story in Washington just before Captain Frantz came to Washington to take the office of the office that he was so good a friend of the President that he did not hesitate in a boxing match to give his well-known prowess with the gloves full swing and floor Mr. Roosevelt three times. Captain Frantz smilingly denied this. But he is close enough to Mr. Roosevelt to stand a good chance, his friends say, for the canal commission if the Senate puts both him and Mr. Bishop out of jobs.

## PHYSICIAN FINDS MAN WITH MISPLACED HEART

Columbus Man Must Be Careful—Second Case of its Kind Discovered in City.

COLUMBUS, Jan. 26.—Columbus people must be careful where they place their hand when they say, "Oh, my heart!" Another man has turned up with that organ on the right side of his body. Perhaps there are others.

Monday afternoon Dr. George L. Williams, 126 East Long street, was called to attend John Mellington, 417 Neilson street, who is suffering from a severe attack of the grip. When the doctor put his ear to the man's breast to examine his heart in the usual manner, he found all still and quiet within, save the sounds resulting from breathing. But Mr. Mellington continued to live and a further examination revealed his heart to be on the right side. He is employed by the F. J. Williams Milling Company.

Dr. Williams expects to make a further investigation to determine whether the organs of the body are misplaced. The patient was two weeks Monday to submit to a thorough examination.

This is the second case of the kind discovered in Columbus in the last few years, the other having been that of the body of a colored man, which was being used for dissecting purposes at Starling Medical College.

**GOLD IN HEN'S CROPS  
REVEALS RICH MINE**

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 26.—Chickens are entitled to credit for discovering a placer mine which has just been sold in Mexico for \$150,000. Several months ago employees of Albert Palos, a merchant of Tapala, found grains of gold in the crops of fowls purchased from a Mexican in the vicinity of Tapala and San Gabriel, in the state of Jalisco. He took immediate steps to acquire control of property, which he named the Virgin de Guadalupe.



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## OUT OF JOB IF STATEHOOD PASSES; IN ANOTHER IF BISHOP IS REJECTED



GOV. FRANK FRANTZ,

Of Oklahoma Territory, Who May Be Nominated for Vacancy on Isthmian Canal Commission.

## Fourteen Women Stabbed By Jack the Ripper

Fair Sex of St. Louis Live in Fear of Mysterious Man—Not His Purpose to Do Serious Injury.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 26.—The known victims of Jack the Stabber, the young degenerate who has created terror on the streets of St. Louis, now number fourteen.

The list of victims and how injured is as follows:  
Mrs. Martha Young, left leg.  
Miss Lydia Hoeselshimer, left thigh.  
Miss Rosa Koringor, abdomen.  
Miss Amelia Mousel, right thigh.  
Miss Katherine Freemeier, stomach.  
Miss Rita Martin, left leg.  
Miss Mary Tilley, right thigh.  
Miss Cora Davis, left leg.  
Miss Grace Oglesby, left hip.  
Miss Clara Von Behren, left thigh.  
Miss Maud Hall, left hip.  
Miss Laura Marschel, right thigh.  
Miss Marie Matson, left thigh.  
Miss Jennie Sharp, of Belleville, Ill., left hip.

### Other Victims.

It is believed by the police that there are other victims who have refrained from reporting their experiences. Several of those named said today that they would never have said anything about their injuries but for their desire to aid in the capture of their assailant.

The experiences of the fourteen women were so similar and the nature of their wounds was so remarkably alike that there is no doubt that the same man attacked them all. In each case a slight young fellow hurried up to or passed the victim on a run or a rapid walk and jostled her. A slight blow from his hand was all they felt, and not one of them knew she was cut till several minutes later. None of the wounds is deep or serious, and it is

evident that the fiend did not mean to injure them seriously.

Alienists and professors of psychology agree that the crimes were committed by a perverted type well known to the police and to alienists. In many respects the St. Louis pervert recalls the case of the celebrated "girl stabber of Boston," known to medical men the world over, who stabbed many girls in the abdomen before he was made the subject of a legal investigation.

### No Trace of Felon.

Despite the efforts of the police force, aided by the entire detective force, no trace of the fellow has been found. Many persons were arrested last night and today, but none of them could be identified by any of the victims or by the four employees of the Hanlon Millinery Company who detained the stabber for a short time just after he had jostled into Mrs. Martha Young, and, as it afterward proved, stabbed her in the leg. At the time she did not know she was hurt, and the four men, after searching the prisoner and taking from him a knife which he held open in his hand, released him. From the description they give the fiend is probably an Italian or Greek.

Every downtown corner was guarded tonight by policemen and detectives. Many plainclothes men were sent out in female attire, but no further outrages have been reported.

It is the opinion of the police and physicians that the fellow will wait for several days before appearing again and Chief of Detectives Desmond warns the women of St. Louis to be very careful until he is captured. A letter in Italian warns Chief of Police Desmond to keep away from "Jack the Ripper," and declares he will not be satisfied till he has killed one hundred women.

## HURT HIS CONSCIENCE TO WALK WITH OFFICER

Liquid Refreshments  
Superinduced Flood  
of Sorrow.

He had been having a glorious time, "such good time"—so good that he didn't know whether he was vortically erect or laterally procumbent—and didn't care, singing happily to himself, he steered to the corner of Seventh street and New York avenue. Here he took it into his befuddled pate to cross obliquely. Then his troubles began.

As he stepped from the curb a yelling darky boy on a wheel grazed past him. The jag carpenter retreated hurriedly. He stood for a minute, then tried it again. Two cars whirled out of New York avenue, two more bore down on him from Seventh street. He took to the curb again, gibbering with fright. "Nar! scape. No police. How'll I get cross?"

### He's Frantic Dive.

He made a frantic dive. He got half way across. With a honking as of ten thousand geese two Mercedes cars tore at him. Heading he again retreated and sat on the curb. He set up the big howl.

"How'll I cross? No perteshum for citizens. Streetful full pink ormbilish air!" About this time a big policeman appeared. He invited the wailer to take a



Piloting a Jag.

walk with him. The gentleman protested. "Wanner crossi street. Wanner go 'ome," he wept noisily. The officer pressed his invitation. The wailer considered it a disgrace to walk with the representative of the law. His tears rolled down his cheeks as he resolutely accompanied the policeman and pitiously he went bawling, "Oh, the passers-by will see me!"

## WIFE MUST SUPPORT HUSBAND FOR LIFE

The Court Orders Mrs. George Schwaab to Pay Aged Spouse \$5 Weekly.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—In a lawsuit ended yesterday between George Schwaab, seventy-four years old, and Elizabeth, his wife, thirty years his junior, the supreme court rendered a decision directing Mrs. Schwaab to contribute to her husband's support during his lifetime. This is probably the first case of the kind on record.

Mr. and Mrs. Schwaab were married about twenty years ago and have for many years lived that section of Brooklyn known as the New Lots Road. Schwaab purchased lots and built himself an apartment house out of his own funds. He declared. Having a dispute with a tenant who demanded \$100 compensation for damages, Schwaab went to a German notary public, who told him that if he transferred his property to his wife the claimant for damages would be unable to recover.

Schwaab transferred the real estate to his wife, but she asserted it was upon the express condition that she should return the property to him whenever he wanted it.

Schwaab says his wife refused to transfer the real estate to him when he demanded it.

## SEIZED WITH VERTIGO, DROWNS IN BATH TUB

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 26.—Seized with vertigo while scrubbing the bath tub in her home, 148 South 74th street, yesterday Mrs. Annie Fealy, sister-in-law of Magistrate Fealy, fell into the tub, which was nearly filled with water, and was drowned. Her body was found several hours later by her daughter.

Mrs. Fealy was forty-five years old. She was subject to attacks of vertigo, and recently the dizziness became so serious that she consulted a physician. Yesterday morning Mrs. Fealy said to her daughter:

"I am going to give the bath tub a good scrubbing. The water is so dirty that the zinc is stained black."

Mrs. Fealy left the house as her mother entered the bath-room with bucket and brush.

When Mrs. Fealy returned several hours later she called to her mother, and, receiving no answer, opened the door of the bath-room and saw her in the tub. She had been dead for some time.

## PARSON'S GRAND JURY BANGS LID IN HOUSTON

Led by Evangelist Foreman, Body Marches Into Saloons for Evidence and Gamblers Flee Town.

HOUSTON, Tex., Jan. 26.—For the first time in the history of a Texas city a Baptist preacher is foreman of a grand jury. He is Rev. Benjamin F. Riley, of the First Baptist Church, a temperance evangelist and pronounced reformer.

The "preacher grand jury," as it is termed, has cut a wide swath. Mr. Riley and associates made the rounds of saloons last Sunday morning before services, mingling with crowds in each and taking names of all who were getting their morning toddies. These names are to appear in Sunday violation cases. Vice of every kind is to be bottled. Gamblers have fled the city, and of the hundreds of gambling rooms not one is now operated. Poolrooms where bets are posted on horse races are to be shut up.

The jury is going at the root of evil, as the foreman terms it, by prosecuting public officials who have failed to enforce the law. The lid is to be put on tight in Houston for the first time.

## CANADA TO HAVE NAVY SUPPORTED BY HERSELF

She Will Contribute to Imperial Sea Force and Be Allowed Training Ships.

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Jan. 26.—The Post says that as a result of the visit of Lord Strathcona, of Canada, to England, it is probable that an agreement will be reached whereby Canada will make a considerable contribution to the expense of maintaining the British navy.

This contribution will be made with the understanding that a number of training ships will be paid in Canadian waters. Canada will pay the cost of maintaining these vessels, and will be made responsible for the recruiting and technical training of Canadian naval officers.

## WHAT IT MEANS TO YOU.

Few People Realize the Importance of Good Digestion Until It Is Lost.

Many people suffer from dyspepsia and do not know it. They feel mean, out of sorts, peevish, do not sleep well, do not have a good keen appetite, do not have the inclination to rest and digest. Yet all this is the result of poor digestion, an insidious form of dyspepsia which can only be cured by a remedy specially intended to cure it and make the digestive organs act naturally, and properly digest the food eaten, fatten, after dinner pills, and nerve tonics will never help the trouble, they don't reach it. The new medical discovery does. It is called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and is a specific for dyspepsia and indigestion. It cures because it thoroughly digests all wholesome food taken into the stomach, whether the stomach is in good working order or not.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, by digesting the food, instead of making the worn out stomach do all the work, gives it a much needed rest and cure of dyspepsia is the natural result. When you are nervous, run down, and sleepless don't make the common mistake of supposing your nervous system needs treatment and fill your stomach with a weak, abused stomach, but when the digestion has been made perfect by the use of this remedy all nervous symptoms disappear.

Who ever heard of a man or woman blessed with a vigorous digestion and indigestion being troubled with their nerves?

Good digestion means a strong nervous system, a healthy body, and capacity to enjoy the good things of life. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will certainly give you a healthy, strong, and vigorous digestion; they can't help but do it because they nourish the body by digesting the food eaten, and rest the stomach.

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